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GLADIOLI

Finest Mixture for Cut Flowers

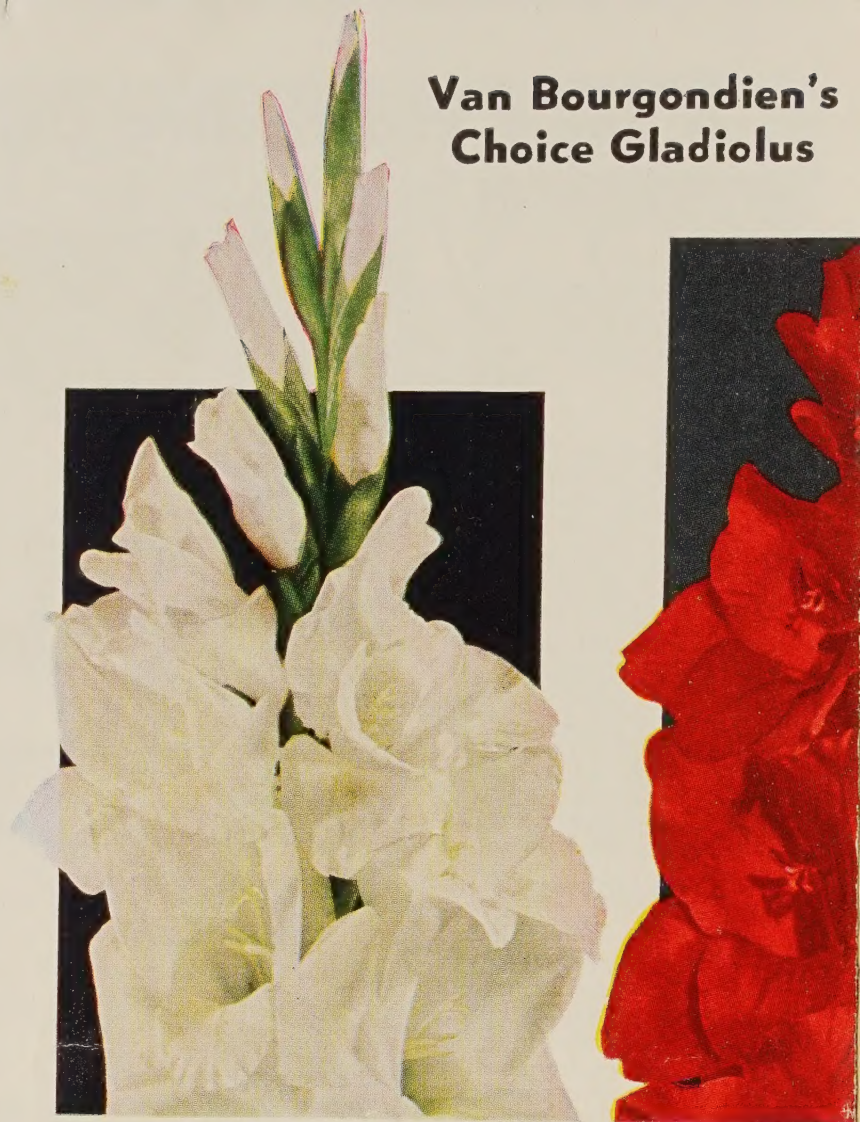
Specially selected, large flowered varieties in complete color range; ideally suited for cutting. Bulbs of 1 1/4 in. diameter, and guaranteed to bloom.

25 for	\$ 1.00
100 for	3.25
1000 for	30.00

Gladiolus Spray. Directions in our cultural instructions.



Elizabeth the Queen



Morning Kiss

Van Bourgondien's Choice Gladiolus

5 New *Gladiolus* FROM HOLLAND

(NEW—All Pictured Above)

ELIZABETH THE QUEEN. Beautiful, large ruffled lavender.

MORNING KISS. Fine white. Large flower.

NEW EUROPE. Garnet-red.

GEN. EISENHOWER. Deep salmon-rose.

HANS VAN MEEGEREN. Best deep yellow. Large flower.

Above Five Varieties:

3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$9.00.

GOOD STANDARD VARIETIES

BLUE BEAUTY. Light blue, shading to somewhat darker violet-blue with a deep purple blotch.

ILE DE FRANCE. Flesh tint with salmon-pink shade. On lower petals a large amber-yellow blotch with carmine-red center.

JUNE BELLS. Large pure white flower with six to eight blooms open. Strong grower.

LAVENDER DREAM. Light violet with silvery sheen.

MAJUBA. Fiery scarlet.

MANSOER. Blood-red on brown ground.

MARGARET BEATON. Snow-white with small orange-scarlet blotch.

PICARDY. Large, tall, salmon-pink. The leader all along the line for color, size and beauty.

SILHOUETTE. Smoky with lilac and red.

YELLOW HERALD. Deep lemon-yellow.

Above 10 Varieties:

3 for 30c; 12 for 95c; 25 for \$1.80; 100 for \$6.75.

COLLECTION "A"

3	each of 5 varieties listed from Holland (15 bulbs)	\$1.80
6	each of 5 varieties listed from Holland (30 bulbs)	3.25
25	each of 5 varieties listed from Holland (125 bulbs)	10.75

COLLECTION G of Standard Varieties

3	each of these 10 varieties (30 bulbs)	\$2.35
6	each of these 10 varieties (60 bulbs)	4.30
12	each of these 10 varieties (120 bulbs)	7.75

Van Bourgondien's Spectacular Double Flowering

Tuberous Rooted BEGONIAS

The Shade Loving Plant

Giant Camellia Type

Most beautiful of shade-loving flowers. Easy to grow outdoors or in. Guaranteed to bloom. Your choice of six exquisite colors:

CARDINAL-RED • APRICOT • CRIMSON-ROSE • YELLOW • PINK • WHITE

SPECIAL OFFER: 1 each of above colors (6 tubers) for \$1.25; 2 each of above colors (12 tubers) for \$2.40; 8 each of above colors (48 tubers) for \$9.35, OR your own selection of colors. All separately packed and labeled.

Giant Double Carnation Begonias

Yellow • Scarlet • Orange • Pink

SPECIAL OFFER: 1 each of above colors (4 tubers) for 85c; 2 each of above colors (8 tubers) for \$1.60; 6 each of above colors (24 tubers) for \$4.75 OR your own selection of colors. All separately packed and labeled.

Giant Frilled Begonias (Single)

Scarlet • White • Salmon • Rose

SPECIAL OFFER: 1 each of above colors (4 tubers) for 85c; 2 each of above colors (8 tubers) for \$1.60; 6 each of above colors (24 tubers) for \$4.75, OR your own selection of colors. All separately packed and labeled.

Special Mixture of All Types

Excellent assortment of Tuberous-rooted Begonias, our selection. 6 tubers for \$1.00; 12 for \$2.00; 100 for \$15.00.



Lilies for Your Garden



LILIUM AURATUM

(Gold-Banded.) One of the largest and finest of all Lilies, bearing up to 15 flowers to the stalk, often 8 to 10 inches in diameter. Each 60c; 3 for \$1.75; 12 for \$6.00; 100 for \$46.00.



LILIUM SPECIOSUM ALBUM

(White)

Lily enthusiasts will enjoy this beautiful dainty white Lily, because it is easy to grow and thoroughly satisfactory. \$1.00 each; \$10.50 per doz.; \$75.00 per 100.

ORANGE TRIUMPH (The New Lily)

One of the newer Lilies. A hybrid Umbellatum X Croceum. Beautiful orange-yellow chalice on 5-foot stems. June blooming, it makes a splendid subject for mass effect in border. 40c each; \$4.00 per doz.



Orange Triumph

LILIUM REGALE

It grows 3 to 5 feet high, blooms out-of-doors in July, is perfectly hardy, and flourishes under very varied conditions.

First Size Bulbs
(8 inches in circumference.)
40c each; \$4.00 per doz.; \$30.00 per 100.

Medium Size Bulbs
(6 inches in circumference.)
25c each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$17.50 per 100.



Lilium Regale



LILIUM SPECIOSUM RUBRUM

As the illustration shows, this is one of the most desirable pink Lilies; blooms in August and September and makes a very pleasing spot in your garden. Very large bulbs. 50c each; \$5.00 per doz.; \$37.50 per 100.

CLEMATIS *The Queen of Climbing Plants*



No group of climbing plants is more distinctive for its wide color range, its variety of forms and its decorative possibilities. To be sure, the Clematis is a regal plant but it need not have a spacious setting. In fact, its greatest charm is the pleasing suggestion of informality which it lends to pergolas, trellises, arbors, fences and old tree stumps.

JACKMANI. Perhaps the most familiar of all the Clematis hybrids, this old favorite is noted for its great vigor and its abundant violet-purple bloom. Date of bloom June, Oct. **Each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.75.**

VILLE DE LYON. This Clematis produces an abundance of carmine-red flowers which are all the more striking because of the darker tones in the center of each blossom. From July until September it climbs to a height of 8 to 10 feet, displaying its profusion of bloom that is suggestive of some rare and luxurious fabric. **Each \$1.25; 3 for \$3.60.**

DUCHESS OF EDINBURGH. A superb double, pure white flowering form. Blooms June, July. **Each \$1.10; 3 for \$3.10.**

RAMONA. Large lavender-blue flowers. Date of bloom, June, Oct. **Each \$1.10; 3 for \$3.10.**

MME. B. VEILLARD. If pastel tones are desired, the warm lilac-rose flowers of this French introduction will undoubtedly meet with approval. **Each \$1.10; 3 for \$3.10.**

SPECIAL OFFER "D"

5 New Varieties of Clematis

1. Jackmani
 2. Ville de Lyon
 3. Duchess of Edinburgh
 4. Ramona
 5. Mme. B. Veillard
- 1 each of above 5 varieties (5 plants), for only \$5.00.
3 each of above 5 varieties (15 plants), for only \$14.50.

Hanging Basket BEGONIA



Begonia

← For Indoor or Window Boxes or for the Garden

2 (in 2 colors)	for \$ 0.35
6 (in 6 colors)	for 1.00
12 (in 6 colors)	for 2.00
100 (in 6 colors)	for 15.50

Amaryllis Hippeastrum GIANT HYBRIDS →

These Giant Amaryllis are for indoor culture only. They will be delivered at any time desired during February and March. The colors vary from white striped with pink or red to dark red. **Each 70c; \$7.00 per doz.; \$52.00 per 100.**



Amaryllis

Dahlias

The Show Flower of the Garden

Large-Flowering Decorative Dahlias

7 of the Best Varieties, Extra Large Flowers

BEAUTY SUPREME. A sport of Jersey's Beauty and has all the fine qualities of the parent, color is orchid-lavender.

DEUEL DE ROI ALBERT. The finest two-toned variety on the market, color is purple and white, excellent cut flower.

HARVEST MOON. New large yellow that has to be seen to be appreciated.

JERSEY'S BEAUTY. One of the leaders of the Dahlia varieties, has everything a cut flower should have, color is pink.

KENTUCKY. A sport of Jersey's Beauty having the same fine qualities, color is salmon-orange.

LE TOREADOR. Large size red (see picture), very popular.

MICHIGAN WHITE. A new white having all the characteristics of a desirable cut flower variety.

Above varieties:

65c each; \$3.50 for 6; 12 for \$6.50.

NEW FOR 1951

A New Beauty in Red and White

WANDA MEADE. A new eye catching bicolored variety, color a brilliant red and white. The main attraction in any garden. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75; \$10.00 per doz.

Large-Flowering Cactus Dahlias

Specially Selected for Very Large Size Cut Flowers

BUCKEYE STAR. Yellowish bronze with tint of pink, excellent autumn shade.

JERSEY'S DAINTY. A perfect white giving an abundance of blooms throughout the season.

MISS BELGIUM. Brilliant burnt orange with clean growth, a fine cut flower and producer.

MRS. E. J. A new pink with white center and silver edging, highly recommended.

Above varieties: 65c each; \$3.50 for 6; \$6.50 per doz.



Jersey's
Beauty



Deuel
de Roi
Albert



Le
Toreador



Harvest
Moon

CLIMBING LILY

GLORIOSA Rothschildiana

A splendid low climber, easy to grow in the garden; it does well in sheltered spots out-of-doors. Grows 5 to 6 feet high, producing a dozen or more gorgeous Lilylike flowers which open to a bright yellow and red, but change to a deep scarlet. In bloom through the summer and autumn months. Most unusual and rare garden bulb. Store tubers in winter like Gladioli; may be used season after season. Each \$1.25; 3 for \$3.60; \$13.00 per doz.

Van Bourgondien Bros. Inc.

BABYLON, L. I.
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Bulbs Below for Early August Delivery

COLCHICUM *New Wonder Bulb*

Place it, just as it is, on the mantel, window ledge or table, and with absolutely no further attention on your part, it will reward you with exquisitely lovely bloom. They attract immediate attention and the usefulness of the bulbs does not end when the blossoms fade. Plant them outdoors right after blooming, and in the spring will appear the luxuriant green foliage. Plant only 2½ inches deep. Dig up the bulbs after the foliage has died down, take them indoors, and they will bloom again. Flowering time, end of September.



The only bulb that will bloom indoors without soil! Without water! Without care!

AUTUMN QUEEN. Dark lilac, prolific and early. After years of careful observation, we find this variety outstanding. 40c each; \$1.10 per 3; \$4.20 per doz.

LILAC WONDER. Extra large flowers of clearest mauve. The most flowers of any of this new type. 40c each; \$1.10 per 3; \$4.20 per doz.

VIOLET QUEEN. Large, lilac-violet, extra. We find it to be particularly outstanding. 50c each; \$1.40 per 3; \$5.00 per doz.

THE GIANT. Mauve on white ground. 50c each; \$1.40 per 3; \$5.00 per doz.

Colchicum, Autumn Queen

Collection H COLCHICUMS

- 1 each of 4 varieties (4 bulbs) \$1.65
- 2 each of 4 varieties (8 bulbs) 3.10
- 5 each of 4 varieties (20 bulbs) 7.50



Colchicum, Violet Queen

AUTUMN FLOWERING CROCUS

This variety of Crocus blooms in the garden during the month of September or October. Should be planted in the garden before September.

	Doz.	100	1000
ZONATUS. Flowers rose-lilac with yellow throat, freely produced. One of the most satisfactory kinds, lovely in the rock garden or under tall shrubs			
SATIVUS (Saffron Crocus). Large purplish violet, veined violet, with prominent orange stigmata	\$0.70	\$5.00	\$45.00
SPECIOSUS. Large light blue, orange-red anthers with yellow throat	.70	5.00	45.00
SPECIOSUS ALBUS. Large white flowers, flushed rose on outside. Free flowering	.80	5.50	50.00



Hardy Amaryllis, Halli

CROCUS COLLECTION C

- 6 ea. of these 4 var. \$1.40
- 12 ea. of these 4 var. 2.60
- 50 ea. of these 4 var. 9.90

HARDY AMARYLLIS (Halli)

First in the spring appears the attractive foliage which persists for about a month and then dies down and disappears. Then shoot up sturdy flower stalks growing about 3 feet tall which are crowned with a cluster of large Amaryllis or Lily-shaped flowers colored a most delicate lovely pink and shaded with clear blue. This lovely, hardy Amaryllis, which persists year after year, is beautiful beyond description. \$1.10 each; 3 for \$3.15; 12 for \$12.00.



Crocus Zonatus

A New Flowering Bulb From Abyssinia



TIGRIDIA

(Mexican Shell Flower)

This brilliant silken triangle flower unfolds from its long, slender buds, bursting into shapely contrasting tints of fire, ranging from brilliant yellow to molten orange and vivid scarlet. Mixed colors only. **3 for 35c; \$1.10 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.**



ACIDANTHERA MURIELAE

Beautiful new introduction from Western Abyssinia; tall; rigid stems, 3 feet or more, with many very sweetly scented, large, pure white flowers about 4 inches across with crimson-maroon blotch. Excellent for cutting. Mid-August, September.

One of the best introductions of recent years, is easily grown in the open and requires the same treatment as the large-flowered Gladioli. The flowers are never damaged by wind or rain.

20c each; 3 for 55c; 12 for \$2.00; 100 for \$15.00.

TUBEROSE

DWARF DOUBLE PEARL. Delightfully fragrant and beautiful. For best results plant six or more in one bed. **40c for 3; \$1.50 per doz.; \$11.00 per 100.**

SINGLE MEXICAN. While not as showy as the Double Pearl, the old-fashioned single type is prized for its exquisite fragrance. **3 for 40c; \$1.50 per doz.; \$11.00 per 100.**



NEW GIANT FLOWERING MONTBRETIAS

Very decorative, hardy, bulbous plants of elegant growth, producing freely in August, September and October, graceful spikes of gorgeously colored flowers of the greatest value for cutting, lasting long in water.

HIS MAJESTY. A glorious variety; flowers measuring four inches across, deep velvety scarlet shading to gold, reverse of petals crimson shading to gold.

LORD NELSON. Deep orange-scarlet, golden center. Robust grower.

NORWICH CANARY. Rich canary-yellow, star-shaped flowers of heavy texture.

LADY WILSON. Very large, bright yellow flowers with orange sheen. A remarkably handsome flower; very attractive.

Above varieties: 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.10; 100 for \$8.00

MONTBRETIA COLLECTION M

3	each of 4 named varieties (12 bulbs)	\$1.10
6	each of 4 named varieties (24 bulbs)	2.00

POMPON DAHLIAS

1. **Edith Mueller.** Rose-red and yellow.
2. **Yellow Gem.** Canary-yellow.
3. **Mary Munns.** Dark orchid.
4. **Honey.** Orange-yellow with carmine center.
5. **Bobby.** Plum-purple.
6. **Morning Mist.** Lavender-pink.

Price of any of the above tubers:
35c each; 3 for \$1.00; \$3.50 per doz.

Dahlia Special Offer P

1 each of above 6 tubers	\$1.75
3 each of above 6 tubers	5.00



ISMENE Calathina (Peruvian Daffodil)

A choice flowering bulb, blooming profusely during the summer. Clusters of large, strikingly fragrant, pearly white flowers. Bulbs should be planted out the middle of May; they will commence flowering in July. Before freezing weather sets in, they should be lifted and kept in a warm, dry place. **45c each; \$4.50 for 12; \$32.00 per 100.**



New Europe



Gen. Eisenhower



Hans Van Meegeren